FOUND NOT GUILTY

Verdict in Case of Civil Service Board in Case of Officer Proctor

CHARGED WITH DRUNKENNESS.

Chief Blackburn Refuses to Recognize Authority of the Board.

THE MAYOR ALSO DECLINES TO TESTIFY

Peculiar Effect of a Drink of Ginger and Blackberry Wine-Several Instances of Officers Being Drunk on Duty.

There was a meeting of the police, fire and health board of the city government a he salosn en last Sunday, September 22.

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being "drunk while on daty."

The mayor was saked to send an officer after Chief Blackburn, which he old, and the loard took a recuss awaiting the presence of the chief.

After a recess of about fitteen minutes Chairman Thomas rapped the board to order and stated that in the sheare of the chief the board has decided to take the evidence of the major upon the discharge of Proctor.

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The major said he refused to glas any evidence, in the absence of any charges lied by the chief of nolles. He said he refused to resify until the proper time.

Chairman Thomas said that this was the proper time, and called upon officer Proctor, to submit his defence.

Mr. O. E. Heidungstedder, comined for Proctor, made the point that the major had no right to sit in the case as an extension member of the board.

The prayor said the wolnt was well taken and he was not officialing as a member of the board.

Mr. W. A. Maroney was the first wit-ness. He testified that he saw Proctor on Sunday, September 22-the day he was charged with having been drunk. He was sober and in no way under the influence of Equor. He refused at that time to take a drink with witness. This was between 10 and 11 a. m. He never saw Proctor under the influence of liquor. He had always heard people speak very favorably of Proctor as a good officer who always of Proctor is a good preference in the daily. Witness never saw may pelice of near drunk on daily. Cheltonan Phomas asked Mayor Woolford if he had ever sorroyed the discharge of any officer for being drink on daily. He said so such charge had ever been preferred against any officer except in this

Air. T. J. Basham testified that he saw
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should go before the council.

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To Proceed is not goods.

W. W. Thomas,
Chirman.

L. E. Miller,
Chirman.

L. J. Tuffly.

The funeral of the late John E. Rare,

POST'S STAND INDORSED

IT IS HIGH TIME THAT THE CITI-ZENS TAKE ACTION.

Someone is Responsible for the Wilful Disregard of Violations of the Law and It Should Be Placed,

To the Editor of The Post.

Nothing could have been more timely than were the brave words in yesterday's issue of The Post relative to "Time to Act" in the matter of redeeming Houston from the clutches of ruffinnism and criminality. The sentiments expressed in the scitorial were atrong but sober. The Post estimity deserves the gratitude of the yer to far the present of far its prenounced position. It is contended by a certain class in Houston for Mr. T. M. Humason, a prominent bush.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. James F. Grimes, member of the executive board of the international Carpencers are Johners of America, will deliver an address to Cartesiara Union No. 114 of this city at Union Labor ball this revealing at 8 octock. Mr. Grimes is a former resident of this city and is well and favorably angum, not only is labor, 12 social and legings circles of Homotox, Howard Mark Wells Thompson of Maissiell and legings circles of Homotox, Howard Maior W. F. Beers, a prominent circles of thome.

Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Blair of Liberty acc visiting this city and are guests at the Hatchine house.

ing young business men, is a guest at the Butchins house.

Mr. N. C. Abbett, after an extended Eastern tour, has retorned to the city and is again located at the Bristol.

Mr. T. H. Spooner of Goulaics was among the arrivals in Houston yesterday who registered at the Hutchins house.

Miss Estelle Merriam of Brooklyn has returned to spend her fifth winter in Bouston. She has many friends here.

Mr. W. S. Carter of Camden, a promi-nent humberman and merchant, is visiting this vier on business and is registered at the Rice hotel.

Me. C. H. Robinson of Huntsville is a guest at the Hutchins house. Mr. Recipson is superlutendent of the mechanical department of the State pentlentiaries, and is here on business for the State.

PREPARING FOR THE OPENING.

Being Hastened.

New Invention Works Well. Mr. J. H. Marmion, general manager of New York and Texas Land company. mixed arrived here yesterday from company a well near Angleton. Mr. Marnion serve that his mind gauge, an invention of his to take the place of said angersome the drill and sand pump in cable
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her than a year. He is greatly elated
aver the prespects of both Angleton and
Bryan Heights.

Buy and Try a Box Tonight.

While you think of it, go buy and try a box of Cascarets Candy Cathartic, ideal laxative, tonight. You'll never regret it. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. C. Never sold in Mr. Ed Wints, one of Lavingston's load. bulk. All druggists, 10C.

Last Day of the Millinery Opening.

A Grand French Flannel Bargain OUR MR. WILLIAM L. FOLEY has just shipped us 1764 yards of the best grace

of All Wool Figured and Dotted French Flannels. It was the entire line of a big importing house and he secured them at a greatly reduced price. It is the same grade we have been selling at 69c (other stores ask 75c). They come in all colors and in black and white. We place them on sale today at the remarkably low price of

THAT BIG AUCTION SALE OF SILKS is still the attraction of the store. Have you seen them? If not, do so today, and be sure that you see these extra good values.

20-inch black All Silk Peau de Soie,

19-inch colored Taffeta, 31 shades, 75c grade, per yard 49c 22-inch soft black Taffeta, a splendid

22-inch black All Silk Peau de Soie, the \$1.50 grade, at 980 And those lovely All Silk Liberty Duchesse Satins, in opera shades, full 22 inches wide, regular \$1 grade, at 590

These are Silk values never before equaled in Houston.

WILLIAM L. FOLEY.

Last Day of the Millinery Opening.

School Books and School Supplies PILLOT'S BOOK STORE 409 MAIN ST. PHONES 820.

Charles N. Bean Lies Critically Low at Miss Couhlan Scored Again Last Night

Wants All to Be Vaccinated. Are now located in room 311 Blux build.

Dr. Brumby, acting health officer, is take ing, and they extend an invitation to all. Col. Brackensidge to Buy a Fine Yacht.

Mr. I. Housman, the merchant tailer of No. 210 Vannin street, is now in the Engirer market purchasing a full time of the latest designs in imported woolens, see and on his return will be in a position to serve the city trade, and extends a curdial invitation toward and extends a curdial invitation toward and sold on weakly stock. Clothes made and sold on weakly

or mouthly payments to reliable persons

Was 1st das? Stenells, rubber stamps, notary and lodge sails, inetal checks, etc. J. V. Love. 2205 Mechanic St., Galveston.

Mrs. McDowall will be pleased to meet her pupils Saturday marning from 10 to 12 it Studio, 1684 Travis street. THE PIANOLA PLAYS THE PIANO.

with your assistance, equal to the besphanists. Will A. Watkin Music Co., Dallas, State Dealers.

SWEATING SUSPECTS.

DR. DE LIPCSEY

Has changed als offices from the Bins into the Moore-Burarit Bidg., room No. 208.

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Strength Enables You to Stand the Heat, Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic gives strength.

Trying to Raise the Money.

Fort Worth, Texas, September 28.—Local committees began the fort

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MALARIA MAKES YOU WEAK.
Grove's Tunteless Chill Tenic makes you strong,



merit, will keep the over night it airtight and saves fuel. Its lage door admits big chunks of wood Pretty nickeled rail and top ornament.

Price, \$8.50.

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